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[Report No. 114-]

Providing for the expenses of certain committees of the House of Representatives in the One Hundred Fourteenth Congress.

### IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

March 2, 2015

Mrs. Miller of Michigan submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on House Administration

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Referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed

## RESOLUTION

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- 1 Resolved,
- 2 SECTION 1. COMMITTEE EXPENSES FOR THE ONE HUN-
- 3 DRED FOURTEENTH CONGRESS.
- 4 (a) IN GENERAL.—With respect to the One Hundred
- 5 Fourteenth Congress, there shall be paid out of the appli-
- 6 cable accounts of the House of Representatives, in accord-

- 1 ance with this primary expense resolution, not more than
- 2 the amount specified in subsection (b) for the expenses
- 3 (including the expenses of all staff salaries) of each com-
- 4 mittee named in such subsection.
- 5 (b) Committees and Amounts.—The committees
- 6 and amounts referred to in subsection (a) are: Committee
- 7 on Agriculture, \$10,173,096; Committee on Armed Serv-
- 8 ices, \$14,208,340; Committee on the Budget,
- 9 \$10,380,424; Committee on Education and the Workforce,
- 10 \$14,044,580; Committee on Energy and Commerce,
- 11 \$19,531,442; Committee on Ethics, \$6,201,326; Com-
- 12 mittee on Financial Services, \$15,086,852; Committee on
- 13 Foreign Affairs, \$14,923,986; Committee on Homeland
- 14 Security, \$14,407,846; Committee on House Administra-
- 15 tion, \$9,293,130; Permanent Select Committee on Intel-
- 16 ligence, \$9,197,310; Committee on the Judiciary,
- 17 \$14,395,572; Committee on Natural Resources,
- 18 \$13,422,774; Committee on Oversight and Government
- 19 Reform, \$18,059,682; Committee on Rules, \$5,846,964;
- 20 Committee on Science, Space, and Technology,
- 21 \$10,671,164; Committee on Small Business, \$6,045,228;
- 22 Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure,
- 23 \$16,728,260; Committee on Veterans' Affairs,
- 24 \$6,958,062; and Committee on Ways and Means,
- 25 \$17,515,290.

#### 1 SEC. 2. FIRST SESSION LIMITATIONS.

- 2 (a) In General.—Of the amount provided for in
- 3 section 1 for each committee named in subsection (b), not
- 4 more than the amount specified in such subsection shall
- 5 be available for expenses incurred during the period begin-
- 6 ning at noon on January 3, 2015, and ending immediately
- 7 before noon on January 3, 2016.
- 8 (b) Committees and Amounts.—The committees
- 9 and amounts referred to in subsection (a) are: Committee
- 10 on Agriculture, \$5,086,548; Committee on Armed Serv-
- 11 ices, \$7,104,170; Committee on the Budget, \$5,190,212;
- 12 Committee on Education and the Workforce, \$7,022,290;
- 13 Committee on Energy and Commerce, \$9,765,721; Com-
- 14 mittee on Ethics, \$3,100,663; Committee on Financial
- 15 Services, \$7,543,426; Committee on Foreign Affairs,
- 16 \$7,461,993; Committee on Homeland Security,
- 17 \$7,203,923; Committee on House Administration,
- 18 \$4,646,565; Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence,
- 19 \$4,598,655; Committee on the Judiciary, \$7,197,786;
- 20 Committee on Natural Resources, \$6,711,387; Committee
- 21 on Oversight and Government Reform, \$9,029,841; Com-
- 22 mittee on Rules, \$2,960,982; Committee on Science,
- 23 Space, and Technology, \$5,335,582; Committee on Small
- 24 Business, \$3,022,614; Committee on Transportation and
- 25 Infrastructure, \$8,364,130; Committee on Veterans' Af-

- 1 fairs, \$3,479,031; and Committee on Ways and Means,
- 2 \$8,757,645.

### 3 SEC. 3. SECOND SESSION LIMITATIONS.

- 4 (a) In General.—Of the amount provided for in
- 5 section 1 for each committee named in subsection (b), not
- 6 more than the amount specified in such subsection shall
- 7 be available for expenses incurred during the period begin-
- 8 ning at noon on January 3, 2016, and ending immediately
- 9 before noon on January 3, 2017.
- 10 (b) Committees and Amounts.—The committees
- 11 and amounts referred to in subsection (a) are: Committee
- 12 on Agriculture, \$5,086,548; Committee on Armed Serv-
- 13 ices, \$7,104,170; Committee on the Budget, \$5,190,212;
- 14 Committee on Education and the Workforce, \$7,022,290;
- 15 Committee on Energy and Commerce, \$9,765,721; Com-
- 16 mittee on Ethics, \$3,100,663; Committee on Financial
- 17 Services, \$7,543,426; Committee on Foreign Affairs,
- 18 \$7,461,993; Committee on Homeland Security,
- 19 \$7,203,923; Committee on House Administration,
- 20 \$4,646,565; Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence,
- 21 \$4,598,655; Committee on the Judiciary, \$7,197,786;
- 22 Committee on Natural Resources, \$6,711,387; Committee
- 23 on Oversight and Government Reform, \$9,029,841; Com-
- 24 mittee on Rules, \$2,885,982; Committee on Science,
- 25 Space, and Technology, \$5,335,582; Committee on Small

- 1 Business, \$3,022,614; Committee on Transportation and
- 2 Infrastructure, \$8,364,130; Committee on Veterans' Af-
- 3 fairs, \$3,479,031; and Committee on Ways and Means,
- 4 \$8,757,645.
- 5 (c) Review of Use of Funds in First Session.—
- 6 (1) Review.—None of the amounts provided
- 7 for in section 1 for a committee named in subsection
- 8 (b) may be available for expenses of the committee
- 9 after March 15, 2016, unless the chair or ranking
- minority member of the committee appears and pre-
- sents testimony at a hearing of the Committee on
- House Administration held prior to such date to re-
- view the committee's use of the amounts provided
- for in section 1 during the first session of the One
- 15 Hundred Fourteenth Congress and to determine
- whether the amount specified in subsection (b) with
- 17 respect to the committee should be updated on the
- basis of the review.
- 19 (2) WAIVER.—The Committee on House Ad-
- 20 ministration may waive the application of paragraph
- 21 (1) to any or all of the committees named in sub-
- section (b).
- 23 SEC. 4. VOUCHERS.
- 24 Payments under this resolution shall be made on
- 25 vouchers authorized by the committee involved, signed by

- 1 the chairman of such committee, and approved in the
- 2 manner directed by the Committee on House Administra-
- 3 tion.
- 4 SEC. 5. REGULATIONS.
- 5 Amounts made available under this resolution shall
- 6 be expended in accordance with regulations prescribed by
- 7 the Committee on House Administration.
- 8 SEC. 6. RESERVE FUND FOR UNANTICIPATED EXPENSES.
- 9 (a) Establishment.—There is hereby established a
- 10 reserve fund for unanticipated expenses of committees for
- 11 the One Hundred Thirteenth Congress.
- 12 (b) Amount.—The reserve fund under this section
- 13 shall have a balance of \$1,000,000, of which—
- 14 (1) \$500,000 shall be available for unantici-
- pated expenses incurred during the period beginning
- at noon on January 3, 2015, and ending imme-
- diately before noon on January 3, 2016; and
- 18 (2) \$500,000 shall be available for unantici-
- pated expenses incurred during the period beginning
- at noon on January 3, 2016, and ending imme-
- diately before noon on January 3, 2017.
- 22 (c) Allocation to Committees.—Amounts in the
- 23 reserve fund under this section shall be paid to a com-
- 24 mittee pursuant to an allocation approved by the Com-
- 25 mittee on House Administration.

### 1 SEC. 7. ADJUSTMENT AUTHORITY.

- 2 The Committee on House Administration shall have
- 3 authority to make adjustments in amounts under section
- 4 1, if necessary to comply with an order of the President
- 5 issued under section 251A or 254 of the Balanced Budget
- 6 and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 or to conform
- 7 to any change in appropriations for the purposes of such
- 8 section 1.